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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT TACOMA

10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 HERMINIO BARRAGAN MENDOZA;
14 FERNANDO BARRAGAN ZEPEDA;
15 JOSE BARRAGAN ZEPEDA;
16 ALEJANDRO CALDERON FRANCO;
17 VERONICA PARDO MARTINEZ; LUIS
18 ALVAREZ PONCE; EPIFANIO
19 BARRAGAN ESTRADA; AMADOR
20 HEREDIA MENDOZA; ROBERT
21 BLANCHARD; ADRIAN PEREZ
22 GARCIA; SALVADOR PARDO
23 MARTINEZ; ULISES BARRAGAN
MENDOZA; ROBERTO BARRAGAN
MENDOZA; TAMMY JEROME;
DENNIS STENGEL; FRANCISCO
MANUEL RUIZ CHAVEZ; OMAR
CARDOZO; MARTIN CHACON
MARTINEZ; SAMANTHA MASON,

Defendants.

CASE NO. CR08-5125BHS

ORDER EXTENDING
NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR
SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE
DEADLINE

24 This matter comes before the Court on the Government's and Defendant Ulises
25 Barragan Mendoza's Stipulation to Continue Settlement Conference Deadline. Dkt. 288.
26 The Government and Defendant Ulises Barragan Mendoza request that the deadline for a
27 settlement conference be extended from September 8, 2008, to September 22, 2008. The
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1 Court presumes that this stipulation refers to the deadline for notifying the Court of
2 requests for settlement conferences, and hereby grants the stipulation.

3 Defendants Jose Barragan Zepeda and Veronica Pardo Martinez each filed notices
4 of requests for settlement conferences and do not object to an extension of the settlement
5 conference request deadline. Dkts. 290 and 292. Defendant Roberto Barragan Mendoza
6 filed a notice of request for a settlement conference, and has requested an extension of
7 the settlement request deadline. Dkt. 294.

8 On May 21, 2008, the Court issued a scheduling order which required the parties
9 to notify the Court of requests for a Court-appointed settlement judge or mediator no later
10 than September 8, 2008. Dkt. 230. The Court finds good cause to extend this deadline.
11 The Court hereby grants the Government's and Defendant Ulises Barragan Mendoza's
12 stipulation, and extends the settlement request deadline to September 22, 2008.

13 The parties are also reminded to file all joinders as motions and file all stipulations
14 as stipulated motions. *See* Dkt. 230 at 5.

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16 Therefore, it is hereby **ORDERED** that the Stipulation to Continue Settlement
17 Conference Deadline (Dkt. 288) is **GRANTED**, and the settlement request deadline is
18 extended to September 22, 2008.

19 DATED this 12th day of September, 2008.

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25 BENJAMIN H. SETTLE

26 United States District Judge
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